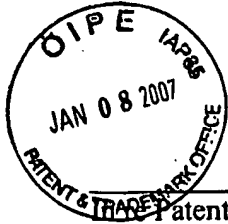


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**LETTER SUBMITTING ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS FOR ENTERING NATIONAL
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Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.495, attached hereto are the following additional items necessary for entering the national phase in connection with the above-identified PCT international application.

☐ Attached is a copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements (371 Formalities Letter).

☒ Attached is the Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney ☒ Original ☐ Photocopy.

☐ The specification attached to the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney is a true copy of the specification that was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 22, 2006, including any amendments thereto (if applicable) filed on even date therewith.

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